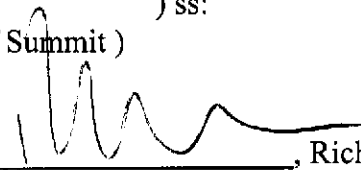


NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT OF A  
PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT

State of Ohio,                     )  
  ) ss:  
County of Summit )

  
\_\_\_\_\_, Richard A. Merolla, being first duly sworn, says that:  
(Signature)

1. Affiant is the Director of Public Service of the City of Akron, 166 S. High Street, Akron, Ohio 44308.

2. The Public Authority will be commencing a public improvement identified as follows:  
**Middlebury East Recovery Wells**

3. The following lists the name, address and trade of each of the principal contractors working on this public improvement:

Name: H.A.D. Inc.  
Address: 9797 Benner Road, Rittman, OH 44270  
Trade: General Contractor  
Date - First Executed Contract for the Public Improvement: October 9, 2007


4. The following lists the names and addresses of the sureties for all of those principal contractors:

Principal Contractor: H.A.D. Inc.  
Name of Surety: American Southern Insurance Company  
Address of Surety: 1301 Hightower Trail, Suite 210, Atlanta, GA 30350

5. For the purpose of serving an affidavit pursuant to Revised Code 1311.26, service may be made upon the following representative of the Public Authority: Richard A. Merolla, Director of Public Service, at 166 S. High Street, Akron, Ohio 44308.

SWORN TO before me and subscribed in my presence this 10<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2007.

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Notary Public  
My Commission  
Expires 11-6-07